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## CHAPTER 415.

AN ACT to amend 85.01 (4) (hm) of the statutes, relating to registration of automobiles on unused registration fees of trucks permanently removed from the highways.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

85.01 (4) (hm) of the statutes is amended to read:

85.01 (4) (hm) If any vehicle is junked or permanently removed from the highways of the state by reason of fire, collision or other accident, and replaced by another vehicle, such replacement vehicle shall be registered by the motor vehicle department upon payment of only the excess registration fee, if any, of such replacement vehicle over the vehicle so removed. Another vehicle in the case of a truck so removed from the highway, shall also include an automobile; such replacement automobile to be registered by the department upon payment of only the excess registration fee, if any, of such automobile over the unused registration fee of the truck so removed, but no such credit shall extend to more than one annual registration fee nor shall there be any refund. Such registration shall be conditioned on the filing of proof, satisfactory to the motor vehicle department, that such permanent removal occurred as herein provided. No application to register a motor vehicle previously junked shall be granted unless accompanied by a certificate over the signature of a traffic officer of the locality where the applicant resides stating that in his opinion the motor vehicle described in the application is in such mechanical condition that operation thereof on public streets and highways will not jeopardize the safety of motorists or pedestrians.

Approved June 26, 1951.